anything more because perhaps he wanted to listen about Chara-e-Sharief. I can understand this. Sometimes I also feel exasperted. Can we start the business now? I was in the middle of getting all these *Papers to be laid on the Table* and there was some objection from one of the Member. I am trying to listen to it. How can we function in such an atmosphere? How can I function and how can you function?

SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH (Bihar): Is the Prime Minister coming here, Madam?

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I do not know. (*Interruptions*)... Let me finish this business, then you can enquire... (*Interruptions*).. No more discussion about that now Let me finish the business which is in my hands. What is your objection?

SHRI JIBON ROY: Madam, I was saying that the Bill is pernicious and has been circulated only three days back... (*Interruptions*)... The bill has provided that in a case of commercial dispute any party is allowed to enforce arbitration on the other and the right of appeal is almost remote, very little.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: You see...

SHRI JIBON ROY: I am not discussing the Bill.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: One second. You see, on a technical point you can object to the introduction of a Bill and not on its merits. When we discuss the Bill. at that time, you can raise thatpoint, (*Interruptions*)...raise that objection.

SHRI JIBON ROY: I am not discussing the merits of the Bill. I am telling that it is a very serious. ... (*Interruptions*)...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Then what are you discussing?

SHRI JIBON ROY: I wish I could request the hon. Minister, through you, to see that before this Bill is introduced in the House it is discussed in the Standing Commttee with all concerned, because arbitration is enforced and there is no right, almost no right of appeal. Arbitraetion in foreign land is going to be enforced in our country. Therefore, a thorough discussion is necessary. I would request that before it is introduced in the House, lets it is discussed in the Standing Committee.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Until and unless a Bill becomes the property of the House, it cannot be referred to any Standing Committee. Let it be introduced and become a property of the House, and then only it can be referred to a Committee. At that time, you can make your request. Just now,I I will ask for the introduction of the Bill.

The question is:

That leave be granted to introduce a Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to domestic arbitration, international commercial arbitration and enforcement of foreign arbitral awards as also to define the law relating to conciliation and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

The motion was adopted.

SHRI H. R. BHARDWAJ: Madam, I introduce the Bill.

THE WORKING JOURNALISTS AND OTHER NEWSPAPER EMPLOYEES (CONDITIONS OF SERVICE) AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1995.

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR (SHRI P. A. SANGMA): Madam, I

beg to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Working Journalists and Other Newspaper Employees (Conditions of Service) and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1995.

..*The question was put and the motion was adopted.*

SHRI P. A. SANGMA: Madam, I introduce the Bill.

MOTION ON DISCUSSION ON SITUATION IN CHARAR-E-SHARIEF Contd.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Now, the Home Minister is here... (*Interruptions*)...Actually, no party's time has been left as four hours were allocated and five hours and thirty-one minutes have already been consumed. Now, if you want to have more discussion, I can ask the Home Minister to reply.

SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA (Uttar Pradesh): The Prime Minister has to reply....(*Interruptions*) प्राइम मिनिस्टर को रिप्लाई करना चाहिए, होम मिनिस्टर को नहीं (व्यवधान)... इसका रिप्लाई कल प्राइम मिनिस्टर ने लोक सभा में किया था। ..(व्यवधान)...

THE MINISTER FOR HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. B. CHAVAN): I had told the House yesterday only that I was prepared to reply to the debate yesterday itself, but some more hon. Members wanted to speak. That is why all that time I told that the Prime Minister would not be able to come. I am going to reply to what has been said here in the Rajya Sabha...(*Interruptions*)... Everybody accepted that.

श्री अनेश्वर मिश्र (उत्तर प्रदेश): महोदया राज्य सभा के साथ यह... (व्यवधान)...

श्री दिग्विजय सिंह (बिहार): यह राज्य सभा का अपमान है।..(व्यवधान)..

श्री सत्य प्रकाश मालवीय: यह राज्य सभा का अपमान है (व्यवधान)

श्री दिग्विजय सिंह: कल चेयरमैन साहब के सामने यह बात कही गई थी कि चव्हाण साहब नोट लेंगे और जवाब इसका प्रधानमंत्री जी देंगे। पिछले पांच दिनों से लगातार इस बात पर हम जोर दे रहे है। कोई सम्मान ही नहीं है प्रधानमंत्री जी के मन में इस सदन के बारे में। बुद्धवार से लगातार एक हफ्ता हो गया है (व्यवधान)

DR. BIPLAB DASGUPTA (West Bengal) What is the use if the Prime Minister does not come?

SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY (Andhra Pradesh): Madam, I have a submission to make. (Interruptions)

SHRI G. SWAMINATHAN (Tamilnadu): The Home Minister is not in charge of Kashmir. He is also not in charge of Defence. It is not proper for him to give a reply. The Prime Minister is accountable. He is responsible for this and the person responsible for this should come.

विपक्ष के नेता (श्री सिकन्दर बख्त): चेयरमैन साहब के साथ बैठकर आज सुबह यह तय हो गया आपकी मौजूदगी में तय हो गया फिर अब यह सवाल उठाकर के डिसक्शन को कट शार्ट नहीं करना चाहिये। दूसरी चीज यह है कि होम मिनिस्टर साहब कैसे जवाब दे सकते हैं? आपसे वह महकमा लिया जा चुका है। प्राइम मिनिस्टर साहब के पास वह महकमा है (व्यवधान) बिलकुल गलत बात है (व्यवधान) प्राइम मिनिस्टर साहब के पास वह महकमा है इसलिए प्राइम मिनिस्टर साहब को इसका जवाब देने के लिए आना होगा। (व्यवधान)

†[ ] Transliteration in Arabic Script.